Under Section 22 of the Mysore Civil Courts Regulation, 1883, the Chief Court directs that all the Civil Courts in the Province be closed from Monday 19th April to Saturday 29th May (both days inclusive) on account of the Annual Vacation.

The Chief Court of Mysore will be adjourned for the Annual Vacation from Monday 19th April to Saturday the 19th June (both days inclusive).

No applications for the admission of Civil Appeals will be received during the Vacation, except in urgent cases, where it is sought to obtain an injunction, or an attachment, or to stay proceedings.

Emergent applications in Criminal Cases will be disposed of by the Vacation Judge.

By Order,

V. A. RAJARATNA MUDALIAR,
Registrar.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Extract from the Gazette of India, dated 28th November 1896.

NOTIFICATION No. 1271.

The undermentioned members of the Volunteer Force are granted the Volunteer Long Service Medal under the provisions of clause 152—India Army Circulars, 1895.

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Coorg and Mysore Rifles Volunteer, D. A. Ballard.

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V. P. MADHAVA RAO, *Inspector General of Police.*

FOREST DEPARTMENT.

Notice, dated 31st December 1896.

The public are hereby warned that, under the provisions of Rule 13 of the Forest Rules of 1878, no person may enter a State forest or plantation under special fire protection, except along recognized rights of way, without the permission of the Conservator of Forests or a Forest Officer duly authorized by him on that behalf.

Persons wishing to enter such areas for sporting purposes should apply to the Conservator of Forests, Bangalore, or to the District Forest Officer of the district in which the forest or plantation is situated, for a license which, if granted, is free but subject to the conditions specified thereon.

The penalty for any breach of the above rule is a fine not exceeding Rs. 500 or in default imprisonment as provided in Section 67 of the Indian Penal Code, in addition to liability for any damage caused directly or indirectly to the forest growth.

I. CAMPBELL WALKER, *Col.*,
Conservator of Forests.

Notification, dated 22nd December 1896.

It is hereby notified for the information of the public that, under the provisions of Section 13 of the Forest Rules of 1878, the undermentioned State forests, plantations and sandal reserves of the district are closed to the public against hunting, shooting and gaming from 15th January 1897 to 31st May 1897 and placed under fire protection. All trespassers will be prosecuted.

No.	*Taluk.*	*Name of State Forests, &c.*
	State Forests.	
1.	Tarikere	.. Lakvalli State forest.
2.	Chikmagalur	.. Muthodi State forest.
3.	Koppa and Chikmagalur	.. Tegur Gudda.
	Plantations.	
1.	Tarikere and Yedahalli sub-taluk ..	.. Lakvalli teak.
2.	Koppa	.. Hebbe teak.
	Sandal Reserves.	
1.	Chikmagalur	.. Mattavar.
2.	Do	.. Kelagane Udave.
3.	Do	.. Hangajanahalli.
4.	Kadur	.. Buksagar.
5.	Do	.. Yemmedoddi.
6.	Tarikere	.. Shankargatta.
7.	Chikmagalur	.. Neradi.
	Other Forests.	
1.	Tarikere	.. Tyagadabage.
2.	Chikmagalur	Basavankote and Sampal